

TRAINING BULLETIN

WINTER 2012

MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY NATURAL RESOURCE MANAGEMENT DIVISION Septage Program and Continuing Septage Education (CSE)

MSTA-MWEA DIVERSIFIED SEPTAGE EDUCATIONAL SEMINAR

Location: Comfort Inn, Mt. Pleasant, Michigan

Date: March 24, 2012

Time: Registration begins 7:45 a.m.
Program from 8:45 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Seminar Sponsor: MSTA-MWEA A one-day seminar Diversified Septage Educational Seminar focused on Septage Waste Haulers

Trainers:

Credit Hours: The course will count as **5.25 credit hours** toward the continuing septage education (CSE) requirements outlined in Section 11703 of part 117. Only the CSE credits earned by the designated “responsible agent” for a given Michigan licensed septage firm will be credited to that firm.

Registration/Fees: For additional information about registration, fees, time, and other seminar details, contact Mr. Jerry Harte at MWEA at 517-641-7377, or www.mi-wea.org, or MSTA at www.msta.biz

Conference Instructors & Highlights:

9:00 a.m. to 9:45 a.m., Mr. Mick Natzel, General Agency Company, Mr. Natzel will speak on exposures a business owner may want to consider when shopping for insurance. He will touch on a variety of topics including liability, special endorsements, key employee and other insurance products.

9:45 a.m. to 10:45 a.m., Ms. Lori Schuck Barresi (President) of Allied Substance Abuse Professionals, she will present a program on the proper DOT requirements for Drug Testing of Drivers and complete the DOT requirements for supervisors “Reasonable Suspicion” training.

10:45 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

Break

11:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m., Summary of DOT Drug Testing and Supervisor Training Requirements

12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m. Lunch

1:00 p.m. to 1:45 p.m., Mr. Mike Kotulski of Kustom Truck and Trailer, Inc., Mr. Kotulski will be providing a (1-hour) presentation on **“Good Septage Truck Maintenance”**. Mr. Kotulski is hopeful of also bringing a truck parts representative with some parts to help better illustrate his presentation.

1:45 p.m. to 2:30 p.m., Mr. Stephen Mahoney, CPAG, Michigan Department of Agriculture & Rural Development, Environmental Stewardship Division, Mr. Mahoney will present an overview on the requirements land appliers of Biosolids have to adhere to. There will be photos and a time for questions.

2:30 p.m. to 2:45 p.m. Break

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Mr. Tim Moran of Alternative Payment Solutions will be presenting (1/2 hour on) “How Becoming a Credit Card Merchant can enhance your Septage Business”. He will explain many of the benefits of accepting credit cards including what to look for to help keep your credit card fees as low as possible.

3:30 p.m. Fill Out Evaluations & Adjourn

COURSE FEE REIMBURSEMENT

Information on CSE course fee reimbursement can be found on the Michigan Department of Quality, Septage Program website at:

www.michigan.gov/deqseptage

Course Cancellation/Rescheduling: Some courses may be cancelled or rescheduled due to low enrollment/registration or other reasons. DEQ is not responsible for any course cancelled or rescheduled by a course sponsor. Course sponsors are strongly encouraged to notify DEQ and those who have registered for the course in a timely manner when a course is cancelled or rescheduled prior to the date the course is scheduled to be offered. Course attendees from Michigan are encouraged to make adequate consultation with the course sponsor before registering for the course.

For additional information on CSE Part 117 septage hauler education credit, you may call Mr. Jon D. Chinnery at 517-241-1452.